Friends of the Dougherty Arts Center



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Austin City Council 301 West Second Street Austin, Texas 78701

Dear Mayor Adler, Mayor Pro-Tem Harper-Madison, and City Council Members,

I am writing this letter on behalf of the Friends of the Dougherty Arts Center (FODAC) to reaffirm our group's continued support for the Dougherty Arts Center (DAC) Redevelopment Project — and to reiterate FODAC's commitment to spearheading a Capital Campaign project in support of the DAC Redevelopment Project.

The Friends of the Dougherty is a volunteer, community-based organization dedicated to protecting, promoting, and improving the Dougherty Arts Center's facilities and programming through active advocacy, community involvement, and financial support. The Friends of the Dougherty operates under the 501c3 umbrella of the Austin Parks Foundation.

The Friends of the Dougherty group has been working tirelessly for the past nine years advocating for the rebuilding of Austin's beloved (yet aged) Dougherty Arts Center. Our group is excited and proud to continue our support for the Dougherty Arts Center Redevelopment Project. Furthermore, we reaffirm our commitment to initiating a Capital Campaign project in support of the Dougherty Arts Center as the DAC Redevelopment Project progresses.

As President of the Friends of the Dougherty Arts Center, I am proud of the work our Friends of the Dougherty group has accomplished over the past 9 years in support of the Dougherty Arts Center. Our team and I will continue to work tirelessly in support the DAC Redevelopment Project. We look forward to the day a new Dougherty Arts Center building stands proudly in Butler Shores Park —

providing all Austinites with access to quality, affordable arts programming, services, and experiences – all in a new, world-class, state-of-the-art facility!

Thank you all for your continued support and commitment to the Dougherty Arts Center Redevelopment Project.

Onward and forward,

Lucky Lemieux
President, Friends of the Dougherty Arts Center (FODAC)